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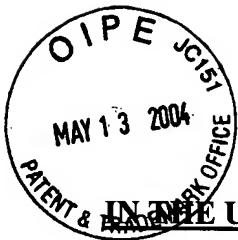
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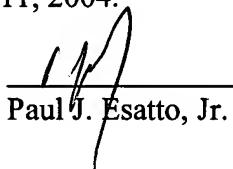
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1. European Publication No. EP 1 217 850 A1, published June 26, 2002;
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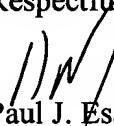
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The references were cited in a Search Report dated March 23, 2004 received from the European Patent Office. Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with a copy of the Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

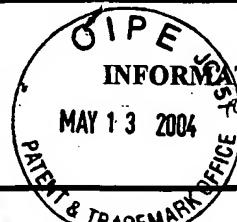
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